



**DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY  
INTRA-DEPARTMENTAL CORRESPONDENCE**



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**DATE: MARCH 31, 2010**  
**FROM: CHIEF FARON W. SEGOTTA** *FS*  
**DPS DEPUTY SECRETARY - OPERATIONS**  
**TO: ALL LAW ENFORCEMENT COMMANDERS REQUESTING  
AIRCRAFT**  
**SUBJECT: DIRECTIVE 2010-02  
AIR TASKING ORDER (ATO)**

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The following information will be utilized by the on-call supervisor when tasking aircraft assignments. The on-call supervisor will ask the Chief Pilot or Pilot-in-Command the following questions:

1. What is the NMSP aircraft mission?
2. Do you have the proper aircraft to complete the mission?
  - a. A-109
  - b. Adam
  - c. C-421
  - d. C-337
3. Is the weather conducive to safely and successfully complete the mission?
4. Do you have the appropriate manpower and equipment for the flight crew?
  - a. Crew
  - b. FLIR - Forward Looking Infrared
  - c. NVG - Night Vision Goggles
  - d. Nightsun
5. Have you exercised the Composite Risk Management Procedures?
  - a. Fill out risk assessment sheet
  - b. Additional approval

FWS: jfp

cc: Office of the Secretary  
Office of Legal Affairs